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MARCH FONG EU, Secretary of State

By Margaret R. Schubert
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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, agriculture is California's number one industry, leading the nation with an estimated \$13.2 billion in gross cash farm receipts and accounting for thousands of related jobs; and

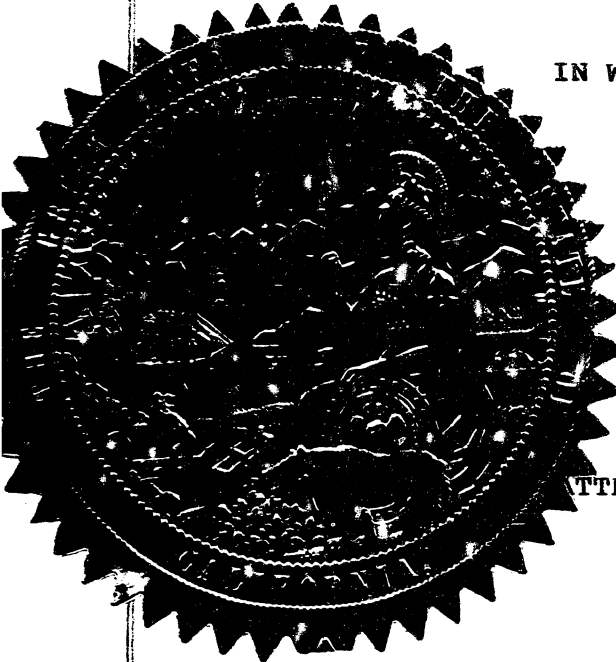
WHEREAS, the financial and political impact of California agriculture extends far beyond the borders of our state and significantly affects the entire nation's balance of trade; and

WHEREAS, the hard work and productivity of California farmers perpetuates our economic stability and vitality while simultaneously supplying food and fiber to millions of people throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, California's strong agriculture industry will be maintained by increasing Californians understanding of how agriculture affects their lives and well-being and asking for their support of the state's agriculture industry;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDMUND G. BROWN JR., Governor of the State of California, do hereby proclaim March 18, 1982 as "Agriculture Day" in this state and urge all Californians to take this opportunity to recognize the importance of agriculture in our lives and to thank those involved in California's agriculture industry for the many contributions they have made to our state and nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 4th day of March 1982



Edmund G. Brown Jr.
Governor of California

WITNESSETH:

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